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STANDARDIZED STRUCTURE

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**RESPONSE TO INTERVIEW WITH EXAMINER**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Interview Summary dated May 20, 2008. The telephone interview, which was after a final rejection, was held on May 14, 2008. During the interview, which included the Examiner, the Examiner's Supervisor and the undersigned, claim 1 and portions of Collins, U.S. Publication No. 2002/065744, were discussed. The interview was focused on whether a proposed amendment should be entered to overcome a 35 U.S.C. section 112, first paragraph (new matter), rejection in the outstanding Office Action in order to place the claims in better form for appeal. The undersigned indicated that the amendment, while correcting the "new matter" rejection, maintained the same intention/scope. The Examiner agreed that the proposed amendment would overcome the new matter rejection, but believed that the proposed amendment changed the scope of the claimed invention. No final agreement was reached at the end of the interview. However, the Examiner's supervisor indicated that he would discuss the possibility of entering the proposed amendment with the Examiner again and call the undersigned to provide a final decision.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,  
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